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BALTIMORE DECORATING

For the Centennial of the Hierarchy of the United States.

PAPAL REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT

PRESENT TELEGRAM TO THE DISPATOR, I BALTIMORE, November 9 .- To-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock, the Catholic Church will begin to celebrate the centennial of the hierarchy of the United States. No event in the history of the church in this country has been invested with similar importance, excepting perhaps the Plenary Council The latter, however, was distinctively a gathering of American priests, while on the present occasion famous men of the Church from various sections of the globe will, by their presence, invest the occasion with more than passing importance. Rome will be represented by the Pope's special legate, Archbishop Satolli, while from Italy, England, Canada, Mexico and elsewhere come churchmen whose views and utterabove have guided the destinies of nations.

The historical significance of the occasion is generally recognized, and the combined Church in this country has lent its aid to make it one of the grandest religious cele-brations of the nineteenth century. The religious services will be conducted with unusual splendor. All the Catholic churches have commenced decorating. A large United States flag floats from the window of St. Alphonsus Church at Saratoga

SCENES OF BEAUTY.

The church is decorated with many flags, and the papal colors and evergreen wreaths A number of residences opposite the Archi episcopal palace have been supplied with electric lights for the purpose of illumination. Catholics will very generally illuminate and many will also decorate. About the Cathedral will be strong electric lights, but no ornamentation of any kind

Within, however, the scene will surpass in beauty and impressiveness that witnessed on the day of the opening of the Plenary Council. The sanctuary will be ablaze with light, and the floral decorations arranged by an artist will be a revelation to those who have the good fortune to be within the church. The Cathedral cannot rank among the ornate and richly decorated Catholic buildings of the country, but it is unsurpassed for antiquity. Eighty-three years ago, on July 7, the venerable Archbishop Carroll laid the corner stone. The granite was brought in on wagons from the Ellicott City quarries. Its length, including the portico, is 190 leet; its width, including the arms of the cross, is 177 feet, and its height, from the floor of the mave to the summit of the cross which surmounts the dome, is 127 feet. The style is Ionic, and the stately pillars of the portico are impressive and pleasing to the beholder.

A RESPONSIBLE POSITION.

It will require some fine work to accommodate all those entitled to admission, but Father McCallen, who was master of cere-monies at the time of the Pienary Council, and who will again have charge on this occasion, is a priest of wonderful resources and decided ability. His plans are mapped out with methodical accuracy, and even should cir-comstances compel a speedy change, he can, with the remarkable skill for which he is the exercises to a close without a hitch or a mittee reports have been received. When tangle. It will be his province to provide they have been installed some of the papers

days. The opening to-morrow is to be en-tirely of a religious character. The pontifical mass in the morning and pontifical wespers at 7:30 P. M. will be conducted
by the Archbishops. The Cardinals, Archbishops, Bishops and clergy
will march in procession to the
Cathedral from Cardinal Gibbons' residence and Caivert Hall, on Saratoga street. Over 600 of the clergy will be in line, and the spectacle will be an imposing one should the weather prove fair. In case of rain the procession will be abandoned.

PLACING THE PRELATES.

On entering the Cathedral, seats will be assigned to the clergy in the middle and side aisles, while the Vicars General, rectors ot seminaries and superiors of religious orders, Bishops and Archbishops and other prelates will have seats in the sanctuary.

Nearly all the leading men of the Church
will be seated within the sanctuary. Two
rows of chairs in front and one on each side of the resplendent altar will contain the Arch-bishops. On the gospel side, Archbishops Salpointe and Ireland, Bishops Loughlin and Hennessy will occupy the front row, and behind them will be Archbishops Fabre, Williams, Feehan, Ryan and O'Brien. Behind these prelates will be seated the Vicar General, rectors of seminaries and superiors of religious orders. On the epistle side will be Archbishops Gross and Jansens, Bishops De Goesbriand and Fitzgerald, and Archiishops Duhamel, Heiss, Elder, Corrigan and Riordan. Mem bers of the choir will sit behind the Archbishops on the epistle side. In front of the thrones and near the sanctuary rail, the Bishops will sit in rows, one behind the other. Cardinal Gibbons' throne will be in front of the Arch-bishops on the gospel side; Cardinal Taschereau's in front of the Archbishops on the epistle side, and Archbishop Sattoli's in front of the sixth row of Bishops on the

THE CELEBRANTS.

The celebrant of the morning mass at 11 A. M. will be Archbishop Williams, of Boston, and the sermon will be preached by Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia Archbishop Ryan is one of the most famous orators of the Church, and his voice has been heard in the Baltimore Cathedral before. The edifice will be crowded with distinguished laymen of the Church from many parts of the country as well as the clergy

Archbishop Heiss, of Milwaukee, will celebrate the pontificial vespers, and the sermon will be preached by Archbishop Ireland, of St. Paul's, the temperance apostle of the Church and one of its most effective speakers. The Gregorian chant of the mass will be sung by the seminary choir of 40 male voices under the direction of the Rev. Father Cheuaux. The "ordinary" of the mass will be sung by the Cathedral special choir of 60 mixed voices.

THE OPENING SESSIONS.

On Monday and Tuesday the Catholic Congress will hold its sessions. It has been arranged that Mr. William J. Onahan, Chairman of the Committee on Organization, shall call the body to order at 10:30 A. M. and a cablegram will be sent to the Pope, announcing that the Congress has been opened. Prayer will then be offered, and Mr. Onahan will nominate as Temporary President ex-Gov-ernor John Lee Carroll, of Maryland, who will deliver an address. After Temporary

Secretaries have been selected and the report of the Committee on Preliminary Organization has been made, the Temporary Chairman will appoint committees on credeutials, rules, permanent organization, resolutions and future congresses. Committees will also be designated to wait upon Cardinal Gibbons and President Harrison. The permanent officers, who will include a President, one or more Vice Presidents

for each diocere, and three Secretaries, and oted, rearrange his programme and bring stenographers will be chosen after the comeats for the multitude.

The exercises as arranged are to last five ment will follow. It was decided to-day

DISTINGUISHED ARRIVALS. This evening at 6 o'clock the centennial was ushered in by the ringing of joyful pursus from the bells of all the Roman Catholic churches. Every train coming into the city to-day brought prelates and priests and lay delegates from all parts of the country, who are to attend the celebration and take part in the Congress. Among the distinguished arrivals to-day were Cardinal Taschereau of Can-ada, and Archbishop Ryan, of Phila-

delphia. They were met at the Camden station at 12:30 o'clock by Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Reardon, of San Francisco, and were driven to the Cardinal's residence on North Charles street, where they had an informal reception. The Canadian Cardinal is a man of small stature, quick and intelli-gent in his manner and quite active for a man who is now in the 70th year of his age. During his stay in Baltimore he will be the guest of Cardinal Gibbons.

NOT TO BE COERCED.

Rumor of a Strike on Account of Short

nge of Natural Gas. A report was circulated in Allegheny that the employes of the Charles Manufacturing Company, on Rebecca street, Allegheny, were going to strike on account of a shortage of gas. The employes, it was said, would endeavor to coerce the firm into using other fuel than natural gas. A member of the firm was seen and said: "There has been some dissatisfaction among the men, and they had threatened to kick. The men who became obstreperous were discharged. The idea of a strike is absurd. It is true we have shut down four furnaces because of a short-age of gas. The Philadelphia Company, nowever, assure us that there will be a plentiful supply of fuel in the course of a few

A BAD MAN FROM JOHNSTOWN.

He Was at Mercy Hospital When the Pittsburg Bobbles Nailed Him. Ruben Roger, who is wanted by the authorities at Johnstown for felonious assault and battery, was arrested here yesterday. Some time ago Inspector McAleese received word from the Johnstown police asking him

to look out for Roger, who, in company with three others, had assaulted and nearly killed a policeman. Roger, it appears, came to this city, where ne was taken sick with typhold fever, and he was taken sick with typholo lever, and has been in the Mercy Hospital ever since. He had sufficiently recovered and was about to leave the hospital yesterday, when he was placed under arrest. The officers will come from Johnstown and take him back.

SAD CASE OF DEMENTIA

An Allegheny Young Woman Who Imagine

An Allegheny lady of good family, living in the Second ward, has lately developed signs of insanity. Her mania is a belief that she is married. She is constantly writing and mailing letters to her supposed husband in New York.

Her family noticing her condition, made arrangements for a medical examination preparatory to sending her to Dixmont. When the physicians came to examine her she became very violent, and drove them from the house with a poker. Her father is very much alarmed at her state, and intends to send her to the asylum at once

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